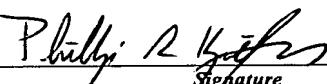


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In reply to the Office Action dated August 28, 2006, Applicant submits the following remarks: